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In re the Application of:

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Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line, the following
sentence:

A1 ~This application claims priority under 35 USC §119(e)(1) of Provisional
Application Number 60/172,304, filed December 16, 1999.~

Respectfully submitted,



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